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Sir:

This post allowance amendment is being submitted pursuant to the recently received Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due mailed on November 14, 2005. The time for payment of the Issue Fee is set to expire on February 14, 2006. Accordingly, this communication is timely filed.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this communication.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this communication.